

Supreme Court of the United States

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Chambers of Chief Justice John G. Roberts, Jr.

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John G. Roberts, Jr.
Chief Justice

Date of Birth: January 27, 1955
Education: Harvard 1976 AB, 1979 JD
Began Service: October 3, 2005
Appointed By: President George W. Bush
Circuit Assignment: Fourth Judicial Circuit;
Federal Judicial Circuit

Affiliation: Member, Judicial Conference of the United States; Ex Officio Trustee, Board of Trustees, National Gallery of Art; Ex Officio Regent and Executive Committee Member, Board of Regents, Smithsonian Institution; Ex Officio Trustee, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden; Ex Officio Member, Board of Regents, Smithsonian Institution; Ex Officio Commission Member, National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution

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Clerkships: Law Clerk, Circuit Judge Henry J. Friendly, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1979-1980); Law Clerk, Associate Justice William H. Rehnquist, Supreme Court of the United States (1980-1981)

Government: Special Assistant, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1981-1982); Associate Counsel to the President, The White House Office, Executive Office of the President, Ronald Reagan Administration (1982-1986); Principal Deputy Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice, George H.W. Bush Administration (1989-1993)

Judicial: Circuit Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (2003-2005)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hogan & Hartson L.L.P. (1986-1987); Partner, Hogan & Hartson L.L.P. (1988-1989); Partner, Hogan & Hartson L.L.P. (1993-2003)

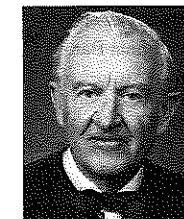
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John Paul Stevens
Associate Justice

Date of Birth: 1920
Education: Chicago 1941 AB;
Northwestern 1947 JD
Began Service: December 19, 1975
Appointed By: President Gerald Ford
Circuit Assignment: Sixth Judicial Circuit;
Seventh Judicial Circuit

Academic: Lecturer, Northwestern University (1952-1954); Lecturer, University of Chicago (1955-1958)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Wiley Rutledge, Supreme Court of the United States (1947-1948)

Government: Associate Counsel, Subcommittee on the Study of Monopoly Power, Committee on the Judiciary, United States House of Representatives (1951-1952); Member, Attorney General's National Committee to Study the Antitrust Laws (1953-1955)

Judicial: Circuit Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1970-1975)

Legal Practice: Associate, Poppenhusen, Johnston, Thompson & Raymond (1948-1952); Partner, Rothschild, Stevens, Barry & Myers (1952-1970)

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